

NINE MILLION DOLLARS FOR ALBERTA MEMBERS

The following statement was made on Saturday by Alberta Pool President:

"An application by the Central Selling Agency, Winnipeg, a second interim payment on deliveries to 1927-1928 Pool is being distributed under date of July 18th to our Alberta Wheat Pool members. Cheques totalling approximately \$9,000,000.00, representing amounts paid Saturday July 26th, and will include payment on deliveries reported to the Pool by elevator companies to June 30th, and upon coupons received by the Pool office to July 10th. A second issue of cheques covering later deliveries, as well as recent coupons, will go forward during the next two weeks."

"Spreads estimated at the commencement of the new year have been adjusted by the Central Selling Agency in this present interim payment, according to the selling spreads of each grade of wheat, with the result that payment varies considerably on different grades. In previous years these spreads have been adjusted in our final payment."

"From this second interim payment made by our Central Selling Board, total of 10 per bushel has been retained, and the remaining 90 per cent of which is paid for the purpose of Elevator Pool, and further 2c to cover Commercial Reserve and operating costs. Amount of 2c retained for Commercial Reserve and operating costs can only be estimated at this time, but it is expected that the amount retained for these purposes will be in excess of actual requirements, and any such surplus will be included and distributed along with any final payment, which may be available to our growers, following close of 1927-1928 Pool."

"Payments to Alberta Pool members delivering to 1927-1928 Pool, including the 10 per cent retained for the purpose of a revised payment, for Elevator and Commercial Reserve deduction and operating costs, total to date on several of the most important grades, are being given a thorough try out. Details in this regard will be available in the next Vancouver issue of the Pool News."

"No. 1 nor. 21c; No. 2 nor. 17c; No. 3 nor. 11c; No. 4, 11½c; No. 5, 6c; No. 6, 90½c; Feed, 9½c; Tough: 1 nor. \$1.30c; 2 nor. \$1.27; 3 nor. \$1.17½c; 4, 10½c; 5, 95c; 6, 86½c; Feed, 78½c."

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"Pool members are requested to send in to the Pool Office, Calgary, any delivery checking coupons still being held."

ADDITIONAL PAYMENT MADE TO BEET GROWERS

A substantial additional payment amounting to 40 cents per ton is to be paid immediately to beet growers who delivered their 1927 crop to the Canadian Sugar Factories Ltd at Raymond. It is announced from the office of the company. This is the second additional payment made to the beet growers of the 1927 crop and brings the net amount paid for the 1927 crop up to \$7.90 per ton. Beet growers have now received 18 cents per ton more for their 1927 crop, making the total price paid for the beets delivered in 1926 and sugar company officials anticipate that a further payment is likely to be made at the close of the selling period for sugar, as there will still a large amount of Alberta sugar in the warehouses of the company for distribution to the consumers of the province.



CHAIRMAN WORKMAN'S BOARD
Hon. Alex Ross, former Minister
of Public Works and later Minister
of the Cabinet, has been appointed
Chairman of the Alberta Workmen's
Compensation Board.

Coming Events

Tenders August 14th, noon, Akenhead School District.

Hirtle's Theatre Friday and Saturday, August 10th and 11th. Ramon Novarro in "Across to Singapore"; August 12th, "Bring Up Father!"

Auction sale by A. Layzell, at the farm of Frank Schultz, Wednesday, August 15th.

Hirtle's Theatre, Saturday, August 18th, "Wings!"

TEST VALUES OF CHEMICAL WEED DESTROYERS

In connection with the campaign which has been undertaken with increased energy this season for the eradication and control of noxious weeds, every possible means of weed control is being tried and tested in the field, which have proved so effective in previous years, a number of new agencies are being utilized, and it is hoped that many of these will prove to be of value. With the object of encouraging the use of these agencies, a committee has been formed to advise the government on a definite and determined programme to be adopted and to determine which ones have real merit. The Field Crop Branch of the department of agriculture has undertaken a series of tests on various chemical weed destroyers and other methods of eradication.

In the meantime it has come to the attention of the department that firms trading in some of these chemicals are advertising in these papers that they are being used by the government. This is not correct. It may be pointed out, however, that until tests of a more conclusive nature have been made, the Department of Agriculture is in no position to bear the claims made for these treatments. It is hoped, however, that some of them will prove to be effective and when this is clearly demonstrated the Field Crop Branch will make a statement to that effect.

NIGHTMARE VICTIM BREAKS TOE IN FIGHT

Raymond, Ky. — George Jefferson, clerk, broke the toe of his left foot when he suffered from a nightmare. He rose from his bed and kicked the bed while killing imaginary mice.

Strathmore, Alberta, August 8th, 1928

M. D. BOW VALLEY HELD REGULAR MEETING

A regular meeting of the Council of the M. D. of Bow Valley No. 219, was held in the Municipal Office, Strathmore, on Saturday, the 28th of July, 1928, commencing at 10:30 a.m. All Councillors present.

The minutes of the last meeting were adopted as read.

By Law No. 102 to authorize the purchase of a Sawyer-Massey maitnainer was introduced into Council and passed.

Application for restaurant license on behalf of Mearns W. G. Kay and B. Lee, to operate in Carseland, was approved by the Council.

The Council submitted a resolution to the Alta. Assn. of Municipal Districts, requesting that wild swallows come under the classification of Noxious.

Johnson Gillespie, sub contractor for suracing the secondary road built for the town of Bow Valley, was held responsible by the Council in cases of contagion diseases were reported to the council. In each case the necessary quarantine had been enforced.

The Council requested the Dept. of Public Works to have snow fences erected at the Cemetery Hill, John's Hill and with Van Wezel's land on the Main Highway.

A committee was appointed to look after the requirements of the Municipal Cemetery, Chesterfield, Weller, Kildonan.

A number of bills and accounts were passed for payment.

REGULAR MEETING TOWN COUNCIL TUESDAY NIGHT

The regular meeting of the Strathmore Council was held on Tuesday night with Mayor W. H. Smith presiding and Councillors Taylor, Sander, Bulsion, Miner and Bailey present.

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The tenderers received for the purchase of the building on St. Paul Street as a garage and a sale to R. Bailey recommended.

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STRATHMORE PUPILS OBTAIN EXCELLENT STANDING

Grade XI Examination Results

Results of the June High School examination have been received by all candidates. The Strathmore third year high school pupils wrote thirty units, credits were obtained in twenty-eight of these. This is 93.3%.

The following are the names of the pupils; the first figure is the number of subjects attempted; the second the number of units passed, and the third the averages:

John Garrett, 9, 9, \$12.00; Iva Schultz, 8, 8, 70; Jack Crivill, 8, 7, 57.6; Florence Harriman, 4, 3, 62; Bertha Gray, 3, 1, 60.

It is not possible at the present time to publish the Grades IX and X results, as we have not yet been able to get in touch with some of the students.

In Grade VIII fifteen candidates wrote on the examinations, and all were successful, which must be attributed to the efforts of Mr. Crowther, his staff and to the members of the School Board.

The following are the names of those who passed: Phyllis Bower, Genevieve Gallagher, Dorothy Freedman, Harold Freedman, Agnes Freedman, Ethelma Hinde, Arthur McDonald, Mabel McDonald, Vincent Moran, Sylvia Philpot, Alice Shrimpton.

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WESTERN CANADA'S FLOWER FESTIVAL AT CALGARY

Western Canada's greatest Flower Festival will be held in Victoria Pavilion Annex, Calgary, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, August 29th and 30th, and the Calgary Horticultural Society, which is sponsoring the event, has invited the public to the festival, which is to be held in every district in Alberta to be represented by a display.

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HOW WILL THE WHEAT MARKET ACT

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CHICAGO—A chorus of protests about wheat futures against the grain speculators followed the market's leveling in drastic decline in wheat prices. Charges of manipulation and over-selling on the part of the speculators were broadcast over the country.

It was claimed that had this country been allowed to develop its own wheat, and we have handled the wheat crops of Canada for several years that the break would never have happened.

All of which is misleading and calculated to bring much needed attention to the action of the South-westerners who are trying to influence farmers to hold back their wheat.

It is now thought that any movement to hold back wheat in any part of the United States will further stimulate speculators. In fact, the many millions of bushels of wheat that have been marketed was sold at a bonanza price. Many farmers go \$1.25 from the combines and the few farmers undoubtedly got the top price for the crop.

On the day following the publication of the "Kansan Squawky" Chicago newspapers carried dispatches which estimated the coming Canadian wheat crop at under 700 million bushels, and the record crop for all time in the Spring wheat belt.

It is not believed that these figures will be reached but personal inspection of the Canadian fields as well as constant and reliable reports from telegraphic reports received on Friday by the Department of Agriculture, indicate that the record crop will be set for the second year in a row.

EDMONTON—Wheat cutting will be fairly general in all sections of the province by August 20, according to telegraphic reports received on Friday by the Department of Agriculture, indicating that the record crop will be set for the second year in a row. Wheat is falling under the influence of the incessant showers and warm weather since the last report and early sown wheat is turning out rather poor. However, a fall wheat has started in some southern districts, and a very satisfactory yield is reported, although this was affected to some extent by the unusual drought during the month of May.

A good deal of the fall crop is being harvested and average yield is expected when this is harvested. Heavy stalks of oats and barley are reported and harvesting of these grains will be general during the last week in August.

The purpose behind the Festival is the practical education of the people of Alberta and visitors to Alberta to the rapidly increasing list of flowers, trees, fruit and vegetables that are produced in the province. The variety produced in some districts smokes those who see them, and as a master of recreation, a revolution in Alberta's horticultural industry has taken place in the last two years, and further changes for the better are taking place year after year.

This is to be taken as an official invitation to this district to be represented at the Calgary Flower Festival, August 28th-30th, and invited to write to C. A. Haydon, President of the Calgary Horticultural Society.

The Festival is held in an ideal building, very large, with cool cement floors, airy and lighted just right.

The Calgary Society undertakes, where necessary, to help stage display and to keep them fresh.

Cutting of early wheat has commenced in some districts in the south, and the first crop is being harvested. The benefit of good rains which are expected to bring the yield of both wheat and coarse grains fully up to the average.

The first cutting of alfalfa is in the south, Southern Alberta, and the second crop is making rapid growth. Sunn hemp is recovering well from the setback occasioned by the excessive rainfall of June and are promising a very satisfactory yield. Peas are having an exceptionally good season, and the yield of which is very good in condition in all sections of the province.

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WINNIPEG—According to the Hon. T. C. Crear, President of the United Grain Growers' Limited, back from a business trip in Great Britain and the United States, the prospects for marketing of Canada's crops in Europe are excellent for the next few years. Favorable factors include a general improvement in business and living conditions with the result of increased purchasing power and apparent inability of Russia to raise enough grain for any but local consumption. Mr. Crear believes there will be a large and growing demand for Canadian barley in Europe, for feed and malting purposes.

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FROST IN SASKATCHEWAN

UNITY, Sask.—The first frost to be reported in Saskatchewan in August this year occurred here and at Rutland during the night of August 1 and 2. At Rutland there were three degrees of frost, and the temperature at Unity a few hours earlier was 55° F. At Unity a very slight frost was recorded.



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WOOL PRODUCTION IN WESTERN CANADA INCREASES

REGINA, Sask.—Wool growing in Western Canada is increasing rapidly, according to the latest report of the western branch of the Canadian Cooperative Wool Growers, Ltd. Held, Up to June 30th, he pointed out, four carloads of wool had left Regina for Western Ontario, (for grading) in the previous nine months, as compared with one for the similar half year of 1927. This year's shipments represent 108,000 lbs. from 300 flocks in the provinces.

PREMIER BROWNLIE MAKES BROWNLIE ABOUT RESOURCES

EDMONTON.—The provincial government is prepared to meet the demands of the government in a frank and open manner, and will do so in the case of the whole question with a view to trying to find some solution which will lead to the complete transfer of the natural resources," declared Premier Brownlie.

The Premier's declaration was made as a result of a report printed in an Edmonton and a Calgary paper in regard to Alberta joining or not joining the proposed appeal to the judicial committee of the privy council on the school question.

Continuing, the Premier said: "For the purpose of correcting certain statements in the press and making clear the position of the government I desire to make the following statement.

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SPORT NOTES

GOLF "BUG" EFFECTS "COMPROMISE" WITH WIFE

Attention to the difficulty experienced by golf and tennis enthusiasts in making a selection between the two forms of sport at the expense of the national tennis championships at the Toronto Tennis Club. Here is the way one of the neighbors solved the problem. Let him tell it: "My wife wanted to go to the tennis tournament all for the tennis, so we compromised by going to the tennis tournament."

FORMER ALBERTANS PURCHASED BY PHILADELPHIA

— MONTREAL—"Spunk" Sparrow, one of the most turbulent players on the tennis court, the steel blades for an eastern club again.

Such was the announcement made by Percy Flynn, manager of the Philadelphia entry in the Canadian American tennis tournament.

He further stated that he had purchased both Sparrow and "Babe" Donnelly from the Minneapolis club of the American Association.

TOMMY LOUGHREN WILL FIGHT FOR HEAVYWEIGHT TITLE

WELLSWOOD, N.Y.—Tommy Loughren, light heavyweight champion has announced that he will fight with the New York and Pennsylvania boxing commissions his claim for the heavyweight championship vacated by Gene Tunney.

The Philadelphia boxer also said he was willing to fight this way through any elimination series arranged for the Tunney belt. Loughren is planning a training campaign to take on additional weight. He tips the scales at 187.

HEAVYWEIGHT SITUATION IS SLIGHTLY TANGLED

NEW YORK—Gene Tunney is a citizen now, no longer the man who is, but the man who is a state of affairs brought about by the loss of his own private public image of the heavyweight champion.

An hour before he made the announcement that he had left the country, he was asked if he was still in the championship ring. Tunney, promptly retired from retirement, as he so often avowed he couldn't, and if there is no connection to be seen between this circumstance, the somehow ought to be nothing to the point of pencils, the tin cup and the dark glasses right away and a trifling sooner.

This probably means, beyond doubt, that Dempsey and Tunney ultimately will meet in the championship ring.

There is no direct evidence to hand to indicate that is what will happen. Dempsey should from the house tops that nothing would induce him to come back. He is back, it is true, and seems reasonably disposed that Tunney's claim to the title is a legitimate one.

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Opinion Divided

Opinion today was pretty evenly divided as to whether Tunney's retirement is permanent or temporary.

Those close to the man however, seem convinced in their notion that

THE STANDARDS

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THE SAYINGS AND DOINGS OF MANY PUBLIC MEN

The Rev. Edward Heigl: "The church will one day be filled because men will one day find—if indeed they are not beginning to find already—that they can no longer exist without those values to which the church bears witness."

George M. Read: "Night is not truly said that the character of one's thinking when without human companionship determines the nature of one's actions when with others?"

Sir Oliver Atta: "A man is what his education makes him, and shapes his life according to the ideals and the conceptions of life that are presented to him."

David Starr Jordan: "No man who is accomplishing anything worth while wants to interrupt his real activities for the sake of his wife or for the lawlessness of his children."

L. D. Jackson: "I recommend you to ground your lives on the law of excellence to make excellence the governing idea of your labor only, but of your leisure as well."

Emil F. Cobelt: "The difficulty with most of us is that we are too busy watching the other fellow when we ought to be watching and examining ourselves."

Emil Ludwig: "America's humor is a priceless treasure; it is also a practice. The English have always laugh a good deal and they will laugh, even though they have little external cause. The French laugh to smile, Germans and Russians laugh at themselves."

Governor Fuller: "Most of the evil done here has its inception in the complicity of the unscrupulous, the dishonest, the perfidious, the consciously and predictably evil who would have a harder time for the complicity of the enigmatical and the equine."

A. Maude Royden: "Fog is the atmosphere. Fog is the atmosphere remains. And only when the world conceives it so will the world be drawn after it again."

Roy L. Smith: "Unhappiness is not possible if we isolate ourselves with Thanksgiving and faith."

Hon. J. B. Bennett: "Aggressive and far-sighted, more and more progressive, the Canadian government, as far as I am concerned, is predictably evil."

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Mr. A. B. Bennett: "His speech in Quebec is highly satisfactory to the Montreal Gazette. This was the stand that was needed on the part of the Conservative leader, it thinks." "In the last two general elections, the Conservative party was a disposition to talk around the tariff, rather than of it, and it is fair to King. Mr. King said that he was not the only offender, nor was the Liberal party, as far as they were concerned, its principal offender in those elections."

Mr. Bennett had the impression that he would have been put as squarely as definitely before the electorate by Conservative speakers on those two occasions as it has been in the last two elections.

His impression would have been made.

At least, then the leaders of the party would have escaped the reproach of having gone into battle with their backs to the wall and their execution pointed outward."

Mr. Bennett had dwelt upon the exodus from Canada during the years of depression, and upon the difficulties which he said, the Canadian market had to face in the importation of the competition of imported goods.

The Gazette declares that the industrial situation is not satisfactory and it asks Mr. King, in any speech he may make on his coming western tour, to deal with the case that Mr. Bennett has presented.

Salaries of Canadian cabinet ministers might reasonably be raised to a level with those of the cabinet ministers of Great Britain, is the opinion of the Ottawa Citizen.

The expenses of the ministers are extraordinarily heavy," it says. The British prime minister's salary is £5,000 a year, approximately \$25,000 in Canadian money. The prime minister of Canada, who is also president of the privy council and secretary of state for external affairs, is paid \$15,000 a year.

The Citizen refers to the case of Hon. W. S. Fielding who, after serving as finance minister from 1909 to 1911, had to take up editorial work in Montreal as a means of livelihood and it also says: "It is understood

that the pressure of financial circumstances impelled Sir Thomas White to retire from active public life. The same problem probably actuated Hon. Newton W. Rowell. They are both men of exceptional ability whose services in public life would be of great value to Canada. The same could be said of Mr. Meighen."

Lindsay Post: And Canadians have much to be proud of in this country of theirs. It is a vast treasure house which has not yet been even tapped, which are its resources. It is short of population, but that is a matter which is being remedied, though slowly, and perhaps all the better for that since it seems to indicate that a better quality of immigrant is being obtained 200 miles outside of the mere shortage of people Canada can hold by even among the nations with pride and assurance that her claims will be recognized. She is one of the leading nations of the world and today yields a tremendous influence in the world. Within her boundaries she has all the requisites of a world power. Let all Canadians keep that proud fact in their minds and do their part towards making that dream come true."

His health, his finances, and public confidence in him broken, Mayor "Bill" Thompson of Chicago is making ready to resign. There's no doubt about it, comments The Hamilton Spectator. King George had all the better of this joint.

MCLARIN USED RIGHT TO FINISH LOAYZA

DETROIT—Jimmy McLarin, the baby-faced boy with heavyweight wallop, knocked out Loayza of Chile in the fourth round of their heavyweight championship battle in the Olympic arena here.

McLarin, the conqueror of Sid Terry and Phil McGray, disposed of the sturdy South American with a quick hook to the head, following a right to the body. McLarin's cut on the right eye was cleaned out and Loayza flushed on the chin. The body dropped over the lower rope of the ring for a second then he fell back and attempted to regain his feet, but was still on his knees, vainly trying to shake the cobwebs out of his dizzy brain when he counted out.

New Gate Record

The match was fought before a crowd, a swelling crowd of 15,000 and record gate receipts around \$88,000, a record for a heavyweight combat.

The 20-year-old McLarin defended the match in which Sammy Mandell won the heavyweight title from Rocky Kaman in Chicago two years ago.

McLarin, the sharpshooter, was to the third round, but from then until the 10th round, when he knocked out Loayza, McLarin was on the receiving end, a certain knock-out victim. His puzzling style of boxing in a low crouch, continually weaving and bobbing, bothered McLarin in the first two sessions.

Loayza was dangerous in the first two rounds when he persisted in crowding into McLarin in an attempt to smash over a knockout punch.

Madeline Kane, manager of Sammy Mandell, world's lightweight champion, tentatively accepted terms last night for another Mandell-McLarin match to be decided in the Olympia arena in the fall.

ELWOOD

Steel Bros. have been breaking up their pasture.

A. H. Tidle has a gas pump installed and is selling gas and oil at the corner of the Rockford and Birchmore road.

The G.P.R. have been taking samples of red clover from the field of H. Hanson for exhibition purposes. Mr. Hanson has two acres averaging nearly a foot in height.

Geo. Gilbert's barn burned last Tuesday evening around midnight. The barn, which was just remodelled last spring, had been filled with hay. The origin of the fire is thought to be from spontaneous ignition.

The Blackfoot M. D. has a large crew of men and horses working on the road to Stobart.

Gatenby's Dept. Store for Value

Sparkling Specials

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LANGDON

Mr. V. E. Dry Bar as her guest her cousin, Mrs. Ostry and two children, of Wainwright, Alberta, on a holiday at Wainwright.

Mrs. J. Brander and three children returned on Wednesday from a month's holiday at Vancouver.

Miss Hazel Scott, who visited friends of Alliance for a month, came home last Monday.

Quite a few Langdonites went to the baseball tournament at Strathmore Friday, and all report a fine time at the game and at the dance.

Langdon and Indus Shepard teams played ball Sunday, and the home team ran away with the game, score 19 to 6.

A new poultry building is being built on the Fair Grounds. The corrals and all the buildings are painted, which is a big improvement.

The old homeplace of Mr. and Mrs. Isachis McKinnon, well known old timers of the province at Dalemont, on the Bow River, south of Langdon, was the scene of a happy affair on Saturday, July 28, when more than one hundred relatives and friends attended the annual "at home" and picnic. Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon had the pleasure of having with them their children, as well as Mr. John Whitney, mother of Mrs. McKinnon, Mr. George Whitney, brother of Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon, Mr. Rowan, sister of Mrs. McKinnon, Mrs. McIlvride of Cayley, and Mr. Ben McKinnon of Car seland, sister and bro-

ther of Mr. McKinnon. During the afternoon, games, in which all participated, were played and later a picnic supper was served to the many guests. Other old friends who attended the affair were, Mr. E. J. Garland, M.P., and Mrs. Garland, Bow Valley; Mr. J. C. Buckley, M.L.A., Bow Valley; Mr. and Mrs. C. Fletcher, Glenbow; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Riley, of High River, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Metheny of Chesterlea. Among those who moved out from Calgary were Rev. and Mrs. W. MacNiven, Mr. George Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whittaker and family, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hall and family.

FUNDS FOR RESEARCH IN GRAIN PROBLEMS

OTTAWA, Ont.—The Federal Government has decided to devote all money acquired from overages in Canadian terminal elevators toward research work in grain problems. The amount thus available at present is \$219,000, according to Hon. James Malcolm, Minister of Trade and Commerce. The expenditure of money will come from overages which will be utilized for the construction of grain elevators and the extension of grain elevators to the disposal of such money. Expenditures will be utilized not only to subdivide and extend the various grain elevators under control in western states and research stations, now conducting such work, but will make possible research on many pressing problems for which money heretofore has not been available.

A. Layzell, King of Auctioneers, was in town on Wednesday, to his way to Rockford, where he was to act as a judge. The balance of the week he may be found at Chinook if his health will last that long. "Hard to pick those outside nags" said the old timer. "I'll bet you'll put on 'Tat She' when you see her on the show stage." Tat She is a very popular and fashionable large bed with springs and mattress, a dividing curtain, which makes two private rooms; folding tables, electric light plant, and at the end a most complete kitchenette. Who wouldn't want to make a long trip with such an ideal outfit?

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Local Jottings

A movement is underway to organize a Grasswidowers Club in Strathmore. The prospects are exceedingly bright for a large membership. Mayor Shirlington is giving the matter his personal attention, and is endeavoring to live up to all the mavericks.

A letter was received by Postmaster on Monday, addressed to the Standard. The letter came from Victoria, and is the local postmaster figura that possibly premier-elect Tolmie may be using his influence to have the capital located in Strathmore. Bill Tierney disputes that theory, and maintains that when the capital is located, it will be located at Amherst, where it should have been placed in the first instance.

The local cricket team at Drumheller at Rosedale, won the Strathmore title Saturday, and suffered defeat by the narrow margin of one run. The entertainment and feasting that was furnished the local players, was par excellence.

Mr. A. H. Dewitt, dentist, has completed arrangements to visit Strathmore Friday of each week, and Saturday in Strathmore.

Miss Opal Tweedie, of Calgary, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Jones.

W. D. MacLean, of Calgary, spent the week end in town.

George Anderson, of Calgary, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson.

Friends of Mrs. Bohannon who was taken to the Royal Jubilee Hospital at Calgary, Saturday, will be glad to learn that she successfully underwent an operation.

Lois, wife of Mr. W. Engles, wife and daughter, friends of Mrs. Dewitt and G. D. Dewitt, from Bismarck, N.D., visited Strathmore enroute to California. They will visit Banff, Waterton and Yellowstane Park. While travelling by automobile, they have a model house, which is a complete home, very popular and fashionable, two large beds with springs and mattress, a dividing curtain, which makes two private rooms; folding tables, electric light plant, and at the end a most complete kitchenette. Who wouldn't want to make a long trip with such an ideal outfit?

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Practical Church has returned from Edmonton, where he was busy taking a summer course. He is looking in the pink of condition, and is already almost set for the work of the fall term.

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LOUGHMAN, THE FIGHTER

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CHICAGO—Tom Loughman, the light heavyweight boxing champion, is a real champion, no matter what else may be said about him. He doesn't consider himself a champion, but he likes to settle back into a life of ease and idleness—as so many wearers of the crown do—going in the movies, on the stage or otherwise cashing in except by action in the ring. He doesn't pick or choose his boxing matches, but takes them as they come, every other week or so and during the past year has hung up a remarkable record for activity in the ring. Selfish motives may be back of it all—a desire to make money while the rest of the world is working. He finds fault with a champion who earns his money by keeping busy in his profession. That is what a champion is supposed to do, but few of them in late years have shown the disposition to maintain the strenuous program necessary for such action. Loughman, therefore, stands out like a beacon in the desert of darkness.

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STRATHMORE GIRL WOULD
HAVE BEEN KILLED

VIENNA—At a Slovakian village near Bratislava (Presburg), a young man, who was in love with a peasant girl, became jealous. He reproached her for having been unfaithful to him and shot at her. The girl fell, and the young man, thinking her dead, made his escape, but she quickly recovered. In Slovakia the traditional peasant costume is still generally worn and the girl was armored with some 10 starched petticoats, the buttons only slightly injured her hip.

Grading Wheat On Protein Value



E. J. Garland, M.P., is contributing some articles to the U.P.A. upon the subject of grading wheat on a basis of protein content, which are most interesting and informative, and of very special value to the people of the lower Valley, who are so interested in the quality of their wheat. The author begins by stating that recently tests were undertaken to ascertain the relative strength of various fabrics in use as balloon envelopes. In this test a number of small balloons were enclosed within several bags, and then these bags with their contents were gradually inflated until one by one, depending upon the character of the fabric, they burst merging the contents of gas with the larger and larger bags until finally all the bags burst. This was a very interesting procedure, but it was not until the author had a number of tiny balloons of gas each held intact only by the strength of the walls. This strength of wall depends upon the nature and quantity of the protein content in the grain, and the author, in discussing the protein content in the "protein content in the flour" from which the bread is made.

Coarse Looking Bread
It is readily recognized by housewives and bachelor homeowners that if the gluten is not sufficient and/or good enough the cells in the loaf of bread break into each other and a large grained coarse looking product results. How that used to puzzle many of us in the old days!

During the last few years sufficient dissatisfaction with the grading system became prevalent and everywhere over the prairies could be heard the question: why cannot we secure a more certain method of ascertaining the quality of wheat and of flour? This question found its echo in Parliament during the session that has just closed and a committee was directed to undertake the necessary investigation.

Twenty grain growers of one of the most important committees that operated during the last session of the Dominion of Parliament was that which investigated the possibility of applying a scientific test to the present uncertain method of determining the quality of wheat.

Not a simple matter

As frequently happens, however, when man enquires into matters that appear simple we find that the application of such a precise test on a grain that has been raised in a manner necessary of value to the majority of wheat growers. It is my purpose to take either side in the controversy that has been waged around this subject, and to present the results of The U. P. A. as a summary of the evidence taken by the committee.

Under the present system of grading, known as the "visual grading method," there are four characteristics of the grain Act and the method of testing. The first is "soundness" of the grain, the second is "cleanliness"; the third is "weight" per measured bushel, and the fourth is the percentage of "hard" wheat—"hardness".

We are not concerned with the first, the second and the third, which may be fairly accurately ascertained under the "visual" test, nor the third, which is a simple mechanical operation. We are concerned with the characteristic known as "hardness".

Professor Harrison, of Winnipeg, states that "hardness" does not mean the actual hardness of wheat, but it refers largely to the density of the grain, and that the "hardness" is measured by the protein content. He adds, "hard wheat makes strong flour, and a strong flour makes a large, well

piled loaf." And then makes the important statement: "The hardness of wheat depends on its chemical content."

The ideal grading system then would be one in which an actual milling and baking test would be made on every sample, if the human element, to which most errors are attributed, is to be eliminated.

Now, let us consider, let us look at what takes place when bread is made. What a scene was a householder's when his neighbor bachelor came over to give him the first lesson in bread-making. There was something about the flour, water and workers than in the pan, and as such water spilled as used in the process. We threw together flour, yeast, water and sugar—the essentials. If lucky we had some potatoes and a little lard. These were mashed with enough water to make a paste to rise. Some times it rose, instead, but a chemical test would have shown that was not our fault, but was due to some quality lacking in the flour. The dough was then kneaded and the bread is then rolled, a gash is made in the middle, the bread is then made little cells all through the dough, which is punched and kneaded to make the cell walls fine, and when the final stage is reached we are assured that it is baked.

So far, so good.

Now, although we put in a little sugar, it was only for the purpose of giving the yeast some encouraging nourishment until it was strong enough to get in its real work, which is to eat sugar and to produce carbon dioxide for the bread. If sugar is not present no gas will be formed. What turns the starch into sugar for the yeast? An enzyme called diastase. It frequently happens that one gets a very good tasting sandwich that is owing to the absence of this important little enzyme, or of starch if the starch does not become sugar, the yeast has nothing to work on, instead starch is formed, and a very bad loaf results. This condition is known as "enzyme death" but it may be overcome by adding some "sprouted" wheat flour and so releasing the gluten that is "bound" to it. Within the absence of the diastase, Professor Harrison says, "There is no starch in the flour, and yet the bread is good, because the yeast is attacking the protein content in the flour."

Function of Gluten
It is quite obvious then, depending upon the retaining of the gas in small cells, and it is the function of gluten to do this. If it is of good strength it will stretch and give a thin walled cell, if it is not strong, the bread will not rise and yet the yeast is attacking the protein content in the flour.

Again, evidence has given to show that although the protein content of wheat varied even in the same district for the same variety, and even from year to year, yet the protein content in the southern or prairie districts showed a higher protein content on the average than the northern sections of the wheat growing provinces.

When Protein Is Low

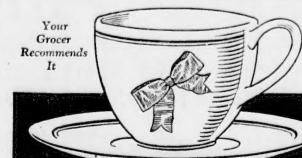
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lowed either when rising or more frequently in the oven. This is due to the presence of too much frosty wheat flour in the bread. Some chemical change has taken place and the protein is not in the proper form, but frequently the protein content is as high or even higher than that found in No. 1 Northern.

The time of testing would range from 50 cents to 75 cents per test. The time for an individual test would be from one and a half hours to two hours.

The application of the suggested change in grading is only proposed to wheat flour, and not to other grains which are now graded largely on the quality of the wheat, but would not apply to other grades which are down because of lack of soundness and weight, and not because of the other qualities they may possess.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Engbaum, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Constock motored over the Windermere to Kicking Horse, Field, B.C., and Cranbrook, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Campbell have returned from Bowland and Vancouver, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. B. have as their guest, Dr. and Mrs. Sargent, of Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brunner and Mrs. Geo. Gow are motoring to Edmonton and points north.

Miss Alice Hendren of Calgary, is the guest of Miss Margaret Gow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hynds motored to Yellowstone Park last week.

S. L. Wright and family have gone to Saskatchewan for their holidays.

Don't forget the U.P.A. picnic in the camp south of Pincher Creek, the 19th.

E. N. Nicklassen and L. Nicklassen were Calgary visitors last Friday.

Miss Rose Clark is to teach at the Kirk School next term.

About twenty members and visitors attended the Ladies Aid at the home of Mr. R. W. Brunner on Thursday last. After the usual business a dainty lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting Mrs. Males will be hosted at the home of Mrs. H. Wilson on August 16th.

Sports day on August 1st, was a big success in every way, and was finished with a fine dance in the Hall in the evening.

The Ladies Aid would like to thank all who so kindly helped to make the affair such a success.

A special train of picnickers from Hanna made use of our auto camp on Sunday, also many auto loads, of people.

Doc and Mrs. W. V. Kemp motored to Calgary recently.

H. J. Clark and wife spent a few days in Calgary last week.

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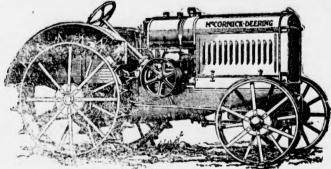
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HEARD ON THE STREET

Old Mrs. Parker was pretty sick and the dark doctor promptly put him to bed and laid down all sorts of rules and regulations as to sleep and diet. After he had gone, Mrs. Parker turned to his wife and complained.

"Mrs. Parker, how does dat dere food doct'r reckon. Ah's gwine eat breast o' chicken ebery day if Ah ain't got mah chokin's free."

"Mrs. Green says you can understand why her husband isn't well and out of the hospital long ago."

"She hasn't seen the nurse who attends him at night."

He: "I think it's terrible the way girls smoke cigarettes."

She: "But you've got to admit they're improving."

Wife: "The seamstress says that she can make a dress for me in less than 20 minutes."

Husband: "What part of it does she waste so much time on?"

"My word, you are looking well since your marriage! Someone to darn your socks and cook your meals properly now, eh?"

"Yes, my wife taught me to darn first thing and now she thinks I'm getting on nicely with my cooking lessons."

Breathlessly he rushed into the lawyer's office. "My next door neighbor is learning to play the cornet," he exclaimed. "The man is a public nuisance. What would you advise me to do?"

"Learn to play the saxophone," replied the lawyer. "Ten dollars, please."

Fred J. Dunn: "Now, you scoundrels, if you try to enter the military, you have to learn much and know much. The time in which it was said 'up is to come' is when a soldier has long passed by. It was all right in my day, but not now."

D. M. Lundie: "Madam, your son is overpaid twenty dollars."

Fair Dealer: "Taking out her check book, 'I'm so sorry; I'll write you a check for the amount at once."

"Tommy," said a young woman visitor at his home, "why not come to our family reunion next Saturday? Then friends have joined me lately."

Tommy hesitated a moment. Then suddenly: "Does a red-headed boy by the name of Jimmy Brown go to your school?"

"Yes, indeed," replied the new teacher.

"Well, then," replied Tommy with an air of interest, "I'll be there next Sunday, you bet. I've been looking

for him for three weeks and never knew where to find him."

His: "Lissen, kid, I'm here for my health, an' my wife said it wouldn't be healthy for me if she caught me flirting."

Two Englishmen were out riding in India when suddenly there dashed out from the jungle a native running like a mad dog, hotly pursued by a large tiger.

"He's making a race of it," remarked one of the Englishmen. "Dye think you can spot the winner?"

"The winner," said the dry retort, "is spotted."

Village Policeman: "You can't go through here with your cut-out open."

"But I have no cut-out in the car."

Village Policeman: "Then get one put on and keep it closed."

None still die with their boots on, but usually one boot is the accuser.

"Did you follow my prescription?" inquired the physician.

"No," replied the patient, "if I had I should have broken my neck, because the drought blew it out of the window."

Political Supervisor: "Are you finding any foreign influences?"

Wife: "Well, I am certainly learning a lot about my party I never knew before."

Old Gentleman: "Mr. Brown, I have heard. My grandson is working in the office of the lawyer."

Brown: "Oh, yes. He went to your funeral last week."

"My brave young man, did you not think of the danger that you were running when you jumped into the water to save my daughter?"

"There was no danger—I am a prize swimmer and have a wife already."

"Does not this woman for the 'widely wedded wife,'" asked the colored person, glancing at the diminutive, wattery-eyed, legged bridge-ground, who stood beside two human and two animal friends in ignorance.

"Ah, take notice," gleefully responded the bridge-ground. "Ah's bein' tooked."

At a public dinner a certain Bishop was greatly patronized by a millionaire.

"Never go to church," the millionaire said. "Perhaps you've noticed that?"

"Yes, I have noticed it," said the Bishop gravely.

"No doubt you wonder why I never go to church, don't you?" the millionaire pursued. "Well, I'll tell you why, book. There, besides, Billy Magon,

cries there."

"Oh, don't let that keep you away," cried the Bishop, smiling. "There is always room for one more, you know."

"And is there any instrument that you play?" asked the hostess, who was pressing her guests into service to provide entertainment.

"Not away from home," Jenkins replied, "but I have a guitar at home."

"Oh, that's queer. What do you play at home?"

"Second fiddle."

An Englishman touring in Scotland came across an old woman sitting on the road, and stopped to ask the cause of the dispute. "We're not disputing," he said. "We're both o' the same mind. I have got half a croon in ma poach, an' she thinks she's no goat to get it, and I'm aye goin' wi' her."

Friend: "Why do you send that dish back if there was nothing wrong with it?"

Customer: "Well, man, you give the impression that you're not satisfied with it, so the waiter'll no expect such a big tip."

"A gentleman called me handsome yesterday," said a rather elderly lady to Bill Tierney. "Do you think it is sinful of me to feel a little proud of this compliment?"

"Not at all, mam," replied Bill. "It is the gentleman who is the sun, not you."

"You know I met my wife in a funny way. Ran over her with my car and later married her."

"It everybody had to do that there wouldn't be so muchreckless driving."

Two college students were arraigned before a magistrate charged with breaking a low spot in the road in their motor car.

"Have you a lawyer?" asked the magistrate.

"We're not going to have any lawyer," answered the elder of the students. "We've decided to tell the truth."

Acked by his teacher why he had been absent from school the previous day he looked uneasy and did not reply.

The schoolmaster insisted, and after a further spasm the boy, pointing to the note which the teacher had not noticed on the table, blurted out:

"Please, sir, I don't know what's in the note."

"Let me see. I have the shirt on with the plain laundry," said the teacher. "I have the note on with my tailor's name in it, and the bill in my pocket. I have six letters that came in the day's mail. Also my bank book. There, besides, Billy Magon,

is going to bring his brother-in-law who is going to bring his uncle, who

knows the superintendent of male, is to meet me at the post office at 1 o'clock. I don't suppose I will have any trouble cashing that dollar-and-a-half money order."

The Daughter: "Perhaps, Dad, I could earn the value of money, if—"

The Father: "Yes?"

"If I had more to study, she concluded."

The young married couple were having a disagreement while awaiting lunch at a modest eating house. The woman was grumbling because they were unable to afford the luxuriant restaurant which had been a feature of the honeymoon.

"You can't have a brass band everywhere you go," said the man crossly.

"Oh, yes, I can," snapped his wife. "I've got it with me now—my finger."

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

What do we live for if it is not to make life less difficult for others? — Eliot.

PLACE ALL THE CARDS ON TABLE

Mr. Hoover, Republican candidate for President of the United States, is credited with saying that the St. Lawrence Waterways project can be completed in four years, but it is impossible without inside knowledge, to understand on what Mr. Hoover bases his confidence. It looks like misplaced confidence. It does not appear to the outside observer that this gigantic project could possibly reach completion in the time mentioned.

So far as Canada is concerned, the project has yet to be submitted to the people of Canada. By owners of Canada is meant the Government, not the Canadian or St. Lawrence Waterways. The owners of Canada, after all, are the people of Canada and until the scheme is properly placed before them and they have had ample time to discuss and consider it in all its bearings the project will not be started. The St. Lawrence Waterways may be the very best possible advantage to Canada.

Mr. Hoover will do the waterways project, irrespective of the impression that it is all over except the technical work. He has raised a suspicion that an agreement has been arrived at behind the backs of the people of Canada. Once the Canadian people consider the matter, then all the cards will be placed on the table, face upwards.

The good sense and wisdom of the people of Canada can be trusted to decide right, and they will then consent to proceed in this scheme.

The people of Canada and the United States are neighbours and friends. They maintain constant intercourse between each other. They are safe when touring or visiting the United States, and vice versa.

For a week or two, although their fortunes are remote and distinct, their fortunes are linked together.

Let us all have an opportunity to consider the whole matter before our representatives in Parliament commit us to it. Which is but reasonable to ask.

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PRACTICALLY ALL TYPHOID CASES ARE PREVENTABLE

Prof. Elliot, of Harvard University, stated that no public expenditure can be as rewarding and as well directed as the expenditure on public health, because that is the expenditure which results most directly in the increase of public efficiency and public happiness.

The Provincial Minister of Health, Hon. George Hadley, has issued a very instructive pamphlet upon the subject "How to Prevent Typhoid Fever," a portion of which is as follows:

Prevent Typhoid Fever

The Typhoid germ is carried to the victim by water, milk and food, by flies and insects, and by the hands of the body by way of the mouth.

The only source of the germ is from the discharges from the intestines or the bladder of some one who is or has been ill with typhoid. These discharges if not removed and disposed of, will find their way to streams or wells, contaminating the water supply. In addition to water, we have the danger from uncooked or unwashed contaminated food, from milk and other dairy products.

Persons who have recovered from the disease still excrete the germs.

Up to twenty-five years ago the dis-

ease was common in the cities as in the rural districts. Following the increase of insulation of safe water supplies and improved methods of disposing of sewage in towns and cities, the danger to urban dwellers of contracting typhoid from drinking water has been greatly reduced. Typhoid almost always is a rural disease.

Practically all cases of typhoid are preventable by the use of typhoid absolutely preventable. Water supplies can be rendered safe in three ways by storage and chlorination, by slow sand filtration and rapid mechanical filtration. By using any one of these methods, typhoid can be easily and inexpensively destroyed.

During the holiday season, thousands of our people leave all the conveniences and safeguards with which they are surrounded in their homes to seek summer vacation in the country or in cottages. This desire to get away to nature takes many to places which have not been made ready to receive the summer visitors. And so, instead of returning to their homes, they visit those who visit such places, too often are brought back to spend weeks in hospitals—the victims of typhoid or other intestinal infections. It is therefore of the utmost importance that we give some thought to the safety of the water supply when we visit tourist camps, camps in the woods or out in the open country. There are three points which demand attention wherever we may choose to spend our holidays:

The milk supply; and
Priority accommodation.

How you may ask, is one to know whether the water and milk supplies are safe when touring or visiting? A simple method of determining whether a water supply is safe is to turn a small deal of information. Examine the source of the water supply. Most tourist camps now supply safe drinking water. Visit the farm or dairy supplying your milk. Take some of the cleanest of the milk and add a few drops of iodine to it. If the iodine does not turn blue, the milk is safe.

For the milk in a covered double boiler, bring the water in the double boiler to a boil, then allow the milk to remain in the double boiler for half an hour. Then cool the water for half an hour. If the milk is safe, it will be cool down to one, and that is owned by a limited number of shareholders, but by the people of Canada.

The fact that so many of the banks have been merged would solve many of the difficulties.

Who knows but that what the great financial crisis in Canada are working out in this very obscure manner, but on the other hand there may be found many people who will have serious doubt that this is really their objective.

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The following is a simple method of chlorinating the water supply.

Take one teaspoonful of chlorine to one pint of lime in a sealed tight container.

Take this with a stiff pasty. Place this paste in an ordinary teacup and dilute it with water, making one tea-spoonful of lime to one pint of water.

One half a pint of this chlorine lime solution added to a pail (2½ gallons) of water will make the water safe for use in 15 minutes.

The chlorine lime solution should be taken in the fresh every day and the chlorine lime container should be kept covered.

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Few intelligent men or women question that it is their duty to make a will. The tendency, however, is to postpone performing this duty.

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6. Foodstuffs protected. 7. The home screened.

DEFENDING THE SYSTEM OF BANK MERGERS

The subject of bank mergers has again been brought to the public's attention through the sanction given recently by the Hon. Mr. Robt. Peel, Minister of Finance, who awaits only the sanction of shareholders of the two interested banks to become a reality.

The ever present arguments in states are very pronounced, viz.: that one bank is better than two, and that we should be able to give more and better accommodation to its customers; that the overhead expenses will be reduced; that the alarm about lack of competition is groundless, and fear that credits will be limited much exaggerated; all these views are not only erroneous, but are so gradually either finding its way to a position where it may be controlled by a very few individuals.

The larger corporations, no doubt, may not be adversely affected and possibly may even greater elasticity in the matter of handling financial problems which may be presented to boards of control, such immense resources as will be secured and sanctioned by them who are very closely associated with them in Toronto and Montreal.

The benefit to the Western farmer is surely not quite so evident.

It might be well to consider the interests interested in putting through these mergers, that possibly they are doing a greater service to those individuals who are arguing for national banks that these financiers only anticipated.

It is also possible that as a few banks are absorbed as the better system, it might very easily develop that those few might be cut down to one, and that one owned by a limited number of shareholders, but by the people of Canada.

The fact that so many of the banks have been merged would solve many of the difficulties.

Who knows but that what the great financial crisis in Canada are working out in this very obscure manner, but on the other hand there may be found many people who will have serious doubt that this is really their objective.

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ONSLAUGHT PLANNED ON PERNICKY ANAEMIA

TORONTO.—Free distribution of the watery extract of liver as a cure for pernicious anaemia is the high mark in public health advancement at which the Ontario Department of Health directed by Hon. Dr. Forde Godfrey, Minister of Public Health, is now arrived.

It is a big problem," said Dr. Godfrey, "but we are not scared to tackle it."

We spend \$50,000 a year on free treatment. We distribute all kinds of vaccines and sera free of charge.

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